WELDING - Members 14 years of age and older may apply for a Mechanical and Engineering Science Achievement Record Award.

Project # and Name	*Skill Level, Age Time Commitment*	*Project Requirements for Completion, Project Judging and Fair*	*4-H Competitive and Educational Opportunities*
573 Arcs and Sparks – Shielded Arc Welding **Repeating Project:** May be repeated if the member takes on new work. May not use projects made in a school welding class.	Age 12 to 18 Minimum of 1 month Project Work Time. More details visit **www.4hengineering.osu.edu**	♦ Complete all tasks as outlined in the project guideline's section. **Miscellaneous Project Judging Requirements:** ♦ **Project Book:** Bring completed project book to judging. ♦ **Project Exhibit: Bring 2 welding projects.** **Juniors (age 8 to 13):** one from the recommended projects in Arcs and Sparks book and the other will be one of your own design that will be no bigger than 6 ft. x 6 ft. x 3 ft. **Seniors (age 14-18):** one from the recommended projects in Arcs and Sparks Book and must fit in a 6 ft × 6 ft × 3 ft box, the other will be one of their own may be up to 8 ft × 8 ft × 20 ft (L×W×H). Projects exceeding the limit are ineligible for awards. ♦ **Project Interview:** Answer questions about your welding experience and items including general 4-H and project info. ♦ **State Fair Selection:** **One Jr. Member (8-13)** and **One Sr. Member (14-18)** may be selected. **County Fair Exhibit Requirements:** ♦ **Fair Exhibit:** Bring your project exhibit to display	**County Events** ***4-H Miscellaneous Judging*** Tue., July 14, 3 PM-7 PM, Annex **Clark Co. Fair - Youth Bldg.** ***4-H Project Exhibit*** Club Booth in Youth Bldg. **Thurs., July 23, 3 PM-9 PM** **Fri., July 24, 9 AM - Noon** ***4-H Art Contest and Auction*** Sat., July 25, 1 PM, Youth Bldg. ***4-H Winner's Revue:*** Tue., July 28, 7 PM, Entertainment Tent **Ohio State Fair** ***Welding 4-H Project Judging Day*** Fri., July 31, OSU, Ag Eng. Bldg. OSU Campus, Columbus, Ohio

WRITING - Members 14 years of age and older are eligible to compete for a Creative Arts Achievement Record Award.

Project # and Name	*Skill Level, Age Time Commitment*	*Project Requirements for Completion, Project Judging and Fair*	*4-H Competitive and Educational Opportunities*
588 The Writer in You **Repeating Project:** May be repeated with new work. **Original Work** Writings must have been done for the current creative writing project. Members may not enter writing pieces from previous 4-H project years. In addition, members may not submit writings they have used for non 4-H writing competitions or school class work.	Intermediate skill level for youth ages 11 to 18 Minimum of 1 month Project Work Time.	♦ Complete all tasks as outlined in the project guideline's section. ♦ Writing Pieces for 588 The Writer in You • **Rhymed Poetry** – collection of 3 rhymed poems • **Free Style Poetry** – collection of 3 unrhymed poems. • **Short Story** – Fiction piece maximum of 2,000 words. • **Essay** – Nonfiction piece maximum of 500 words. ♦ ***Submit writings by July 1st to the Extension Office.*** Submit on a 8 ½ x 11 inch paper, typewritten or neatly printed. Double space stories; single space poems. ♦ Full name, address and class name on cover page. Last name, county and page number on the bottom right corner of each page. ♦ Submit entries in a 9 x 12 envelope, clearly marked with name and address. **Miscellaneous Project Judging Requirements:** ♦ **Project Book:** Bring completed project book and any additional writings to demonstrate project experiences to judging. ♦ **Project Interview:** Answer questions about your project experience including general 4-H, project book knowledge and activities and writings. ♦ **State Fair Selection:** One Jr. (age 8-13) and One Sr. (age 14-18) may be selected. No individual can compete in more than one class (Get Start-ed in Art, Scrapbooking, Graphic Design, My Favorite Things, **Knitting It Together**, **Writer in You**, Self-Det. Creative Arts includes paper-crafting, string art, fairy gardens with artificial plants, needle felting, no sew fun, etc.). **County Fair Exhibit Requirements:** ♦ **Fair Exhibit:** Bring your writings to display.	**County Events** ***Submit Writing Entries*** July 10 to the Ext. Office. ***4-H Miscellaneous Judging*** Tue., July 14, 3 PM-7 PM, Fgrds., Annex **Clark Co. Fair - Youth Bldg.** ***4-H Project Exhibit*** Club Booth in Youth Bldg. **Thurs., July 23, 3 PM-9 PM** **Fri., July 24, 9 AM - Noon** ***4-H Winner's Revue:*** Tue., July 28, 7 PM, Entertainment Tent **Ohio State Fair** ***Creative Arts Project Judging Day*** Thurs., July 30, Lausche Youth Exploration Space